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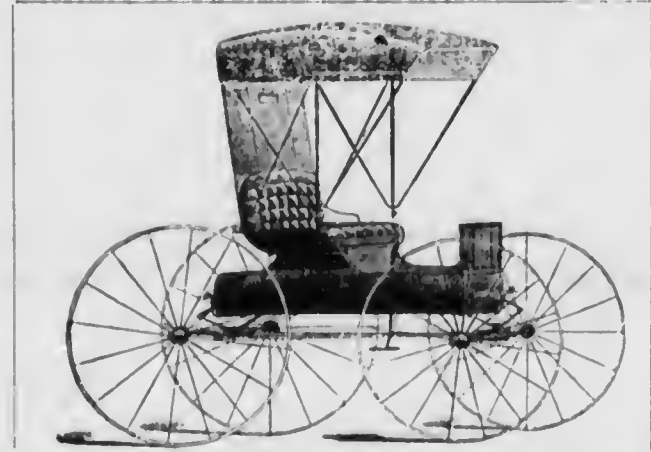
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### THE LOCAL NEWSPAPER.

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The importance of supporting the local newspaper is not less keenly as it should be by the dwellers in the small cities and towns. The newspaper is in reality as important a factor in local prosperity as a church. Its influence is brought to bear for the benefit of its locality in many ways that the church does not compass. The intelligence and relative position of one town as compared with others is to be accurately gauged by the quality of its newspapers and the amount of enterprise they inspire. The newspapers of a town instantly present good evidence of the moral standard which governs it; for that newspaper which gives its constituency demands is of the only kind which has a stable.

A town which can show a well supported newspaper, means a town whose inhabitants are quick-witted people, of keen active interest in what concerns them and their neighbors, while one in which a newspaper drags out wearily generally argues itself the abode of the people with sluggish lives or torpid temperaments, to whom presents little interest beyond the limited range of experience immediately bounded by their own senses.

The excuse which is sometimes offered that the local paper is not of sufficient interest to warrant the expenditure of the small price of its subscription, should avail these short-circuited notions. Such people should be told to patronize home industry and foster its growth into a more profitable affair by their encouragement. Newspaper men are not slow to respond to encouragement; in 99 cases out of 100 their hearts are in their work and they need but the sign of a disposition to reward it to call forth their best efforts. The newspaper's status in a town is an index to most of those qualities by which one judges of its desirability as a place of residence and its commercial prosperity.

It is the positive duty of every man to help make his town known, increase its prestige and add to its reputation of being a live, wide-awake place, by subscribing to the local newspaper.—[Newspaper Maker.]

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**WALTON GROVE.**  
Mr. Editor I feel like I want to write a few lines this evening from our little town. There is a nice Sunday School going on at this place. There will be a protracted meeting

commenced at this place the 21 Sunday in August and it will be conducted by Bro. Hinton and Bro. Kelly.

Health in this community is very good.

Miss Eliza Morris is visiting her son-in-law this week.

Miss Maggie Arnold was the guest of Miss Martha Morris last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. W. C. Leach and wife visited Mr. S. L. St. Clair and wife last Saturday and Sunday.

There was a grand barbecue here on the 11th and every thing went off nicely as could be expected, and music was furnished on that day by Mr. Mark and Henry Boze.

Miss Annie Myers, of near Rosine, is visiting Miss Rife Graft, of near House Ranch, this week.

Miss Martha Morris was the guest of Miss Eliza Graft Tuesday.

Mr. Ansel Allen and wife visited Miss Eliza Morris last Sunday.

Miss Melvina St. Clair visited her sister Mrs. Cova Wilson last Thursday.

Bro. Holton filed his regular appointment at Sugar Grove last Sunday week.

Bro. Hinton gave us an interesting talk last Sunday after Sunday School adjourned.

R. H. N.

**Marcellus Results.**  
From a letter written by Rev. J. Gundrum, of Dimondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvellous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction, she was brought down with pneumonia succumbing to La Grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results." Trial bottles free at Williams & Bell's Drug Store. Regular size 50c and \$1.00.

Thaddeus W. Patten, formerly of Shreve Ohio county, but now living in Indiana, is hopelessly insane. The cause of his insanity is a disease, softening of the brain. He is still at his home, but it is feared that he may become dangerous. The family have the sympathy of their friends and former neighbors.

**Bill Nye on Newspapers.**  
Bill Nye spoke his witticisms laden with the greatest truth. Among the most noticeable, most timely and appropriate is the following: A man may use a watch on the back of his neck for a collar button; ride on the back coach of a train to save interest on his money until the conductor comes around; stop his watch at night to save the wear and tear, leave his "I" and "V" without a dot or cross to save ink; pasture his mother's grave to save corn, but a man of this kind is a gentleman and a scholar compared to a fellow who will take a newspaper, and when asked to pay for it puts it into the post office and has it marked "refused."

**PIANT PARANANT.**  
Uncle J. H. Patterson and wife have

gone to Henderson City to make their future home.

Miss Francis Tichenor, of Owensboro, is visiting her brother, Warren Tichenor, of this place.

Ed James, of Cronwell, spent part of last week with relatives here.

Miss Fannie Davis has gone to visit her daughter, Mrs. R. V. Caldwell, of McHenry.

Robert James is at home after a stay of several months in South Carolina.

Sam Cisney, just over the river in McLean county, lost his house and contents by fire last Wednesday.

Miss Sarah Clark, of St. Louis, is visiting friends here.

Mr. Will Bayd and family, of Walton Creek, near here, spent Saturday and Sunday with the family of Dennis Myers.

Suppose we organize a Republican club at center town. What say you? McK

**Notice!**  
If your subscription is not paid, please send in the money at once. One subscription is not much, but 1,600 subscriptions amount to a great deal.

**RECEIVED.**  
We have prayer meeting every Saturday night and Sunday School every Sunday evening. The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints have been holding a meeting in a hall made of brush near Rickett's schoolhouse.

Mrs. Tatum is still confined to her bed.

Mr. J. L. Porter was the guest of Tom Stevens last week.

Two of the oldest people in this neighborhood will be baptized next Sunday.

Elders Richardson and Ipson are in our community this week. B

**Children Cry for  
Pitcher's Castoria.**

A certain business man wanted 500 note heads printed and wrote to three different towns to get prices. Some men are so stingy that they would walk over hell on rotten rails to save two cents.—[Louis Landrum.]

**Mr. H. H. Stowe's Last Letter.**  
The last thing written by Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe, only a few days before her death, was a loving acknowledgment to the public for remembrances and tokens and expressions of affectionate esteem, on her 85th birthday, which she sent to The Lodi's Home Journal.

In the next issue of this magazine it will be published in full. It reflects the beautiful nature of the gifted authoress, and by her death has become her last message to the American public.

**MISS HARRISON'S BIRD.**  
The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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A correspondent in the Jersey Bulletin lays down eight rules for making of A 1 butter. They are:

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2. Milk the cows in a clean, well ventilated stable, free from all atmospheric taints.
3. Settling the milk to cream and the cream to ripen in a clean well-ventilated room that may be kept at a low and even temperature.
4. Strain the cream and regular temperature in the churning.
5. Stopping the churn when the butter comes the size of wheat grains and treeling it of butter-milk while in this stage; taking care not to break the grain in working.
6. While in the regular stage, incorporate the salt evenly and thoroughly.
7. Put in a neat, clean, sweet, attractive package.
8. Scrupulous cleanliness from the cow's udder to the butter box.

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**Advocate.**  
Silver is now worth about 60 cents an ounce. The silver dollar in a dollar is worth about 34 cents. Free silver would raise the price of silver to 100 cents an ounce, and the silver dollar in a dollar would be worth one dollar in gold the world over even without a government stamp on it.—[Exchange Journal, N. Y. World of July 1, 1896.]

If you have a neighbor who thinks gold is a great treasure, and who is willing to back his opinion with money, and who would have anything to lose after going through the free coinage cyclone, here are some of the perfectly safe bets you can make him:

First.—That free coinage would not in one year raise the price of silver to one dollar per ounce. (You can bet on any number of years, but would have to wait longer before the bet could be settled.)

Second.—That the price of silver will be lower one year after than one year before the passage of a free coinage act.

Third.—That the price of silver will be less than 80 cents per ounce when a free coinage act has been in effect six years.

Fourth.—That at no time within one year will the price of silver fall below 75 cents per ounce.

Fifth.—That the American dollar will be worth as much as 75 per cent of the value of the American gold dollar.

Sixth.—That free coinage will not get even better, glycerine, or oil.

Seventh.—That the price of silver will be determined by the cost of production. All the silver in the world can now be produced for less than 75 and probably less than 70 cents per ounce. No legislation can raise, except for a short time, the price of silver. It is to be hoped that we will never be forced to make this foolish free coinage experiment, but if we do we should, if we can find takers, recompense of our certain losses by betting on the inevitable.

**FREE COINAGE PLAINLY STATED.**

It would better gold and paper money from circulation.

It is important to remember that free coinage means the right of every owner of bullion to present the same to the mints of the United States and have it coined without charge into money. Under the free coinage of silver, the owner of 317½ grains of pure silver would be permitted to turn it over to the United States mint and have it coined without charge into money. There would be no limit to the number of silver dollars that could be coined, and the amount of silver coined would be limited only by the capacity of our mints and the output of the silver mines.

If I have made myself understood as to the meaning of free coinage and "the ratio," we are now prepared to discuss understandingly the feasibility of opening the mints of the United States to the free and unlimited coinage of silver by this country alone at the ratio of 16 to 1. For myself, after the most mature deliberation, I have been unable to reach any other conclusion than that such a step will be attended with the most serious consequences to the country and to the people in a common disaster.

In the first place, the free and unlimited coinage of silver at 16 to 1 would, in my judgment, expel from our circulation not only our entire volume of gold, but every dollar of paper money redeemable in gold, and cause a contraction of the currency and a resultant panic the like of which has not been seen in this generation.—[Senator J. C. Burrows.]

**Only One Side.**  
A silverite newspaper says: "A bushel of potatoes, a dozen of eggs and a pound of butter can be bought in many portions of the western reserve of Ohio at the present time for 20 cents." And this fact is stated as a reason for free silver. "Would the farmer be any better off if he sold his 20 cents' worth of potatoes and eggs and butter for 50 cents? Would he have to pay 30 cents in silver for every dollar's worth of value that he purchased in the stores and in the markets?"—[Chicago Chronicle.]

**Look to Your Representative.**  
The fact that the friends of sound money in the democratic party delayed too long the fight against the silver machine that now seems to dominate the party organization should spur them to renewed efforts to prevent the election of a house of representatives committed to the free coinage of silver.

The Wilmington (Del.) Evening (dem.) says: "If this is done, the danger will be averted, no matter what sort of a wild financial theory may be chosen to support it."

**FARM PRODUCTS.**

France has fallen because of increased production All Over the World.

Q. Is it true that the price of wheat and many other farm products has fallen heavily? A. It is.

Q. How are such declines in wheat, hay, linseed, to be explained? A. By the enormous rapid increase in grain growing area throughout the world.

Q. Has this increase been especially rapid since 1873? A. The increase in grain growing area in this period, especially in North America, South America and Asia, has never been approached in any equal period in the history of the world.

Q. How do we judge of actual competition in the sale of wheat? A. By the supplies thrown annually on the world's great distributing markets.

Q. What market in particular? A. England, where most of the buying nations go to purchase their grain.

Q. What are the figures? A. As recently as 1880 there had been imported, for consumption and export, 52,501,921 hundredweight of wheat—a large increase over the preceding annual average. In 1905 it amounted to 81,740,955 hundredweight.

Q. What has made possible this remarkable increase in wheat production? A. The exceedingly rapid development of transportation facilities in newly cultivated grain countries;

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### Republican Ticket.

#### ELECTION NOV. 3, 1896.

For President,  
WILLIAM MCKINLEY,  
of Ohio.

For Vice President,  
GARRETT A. HOBART,  
of New Jersey.

For Congress,  
JOHN W. LEWIS,  
From 4th District of Kentucky.

AND still they halt. See list of prominent papers who have voted the Bryan-Sewall combination.

Hon. CHAS. R. LONG, former Chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee, says he will not support the Chicago ticket.

The scramble is now going on at St. Louis among the Populists, and the question that is agitating their minds is whether they will endorse Bryan or nominate a ticket of their own. It seems that they will have a bolt, it makes no difference what the majority does.

The Ohio county Populists last Saturday instructed for Bryan and rejected Sewall. It was the prevailing opinion among them that the Populist could not afford to accept Sewall, but wanted him pulled off by the committee and a straight Populist nominated in his stead.

For the first time in the country's history a great political party assembled in National Convention has denounced itself, adopted a financial policy, pursued only by half civilized nations and surrendered its leadership into the hands of a "Boy Orator." It such methods receive the support of the American people then the period of the Republic is approaching.

Four years ago the Democratic party appealed to the people for the privilege of relieving them from the oppression of "Robber Barons" manufacturers and bringing about a period of unparalleled good times. Democracy was invested with the power to fulfill these promises, and what followed? Such calamities as had never before followed the advent of any party to power, and let us trust God will never be witnessed by the American people again. Yet this same party, or rather this same element, for Democracy has degenerated into Populism, pure and simple, is preaching a gospel of cheap currency and seeking another lease of power from an outraged and suffering people. Will the sober, sensible American voter trust his government in the hands of a party of such a record?

### HENRY M. TELLER.

This man has achieved an unenviable notoriety. His name for the last month has been prominently before the American people.

The attitude in which he has placed himself does not reflect any credit on him at all. He has been held up as a martyr to the silver cause, which is used to be nearer and dearer to his heart than all others. It is significant however, that simultaneously with his withdrawal from the Republican party, his "friends" began to boom him for the Democratic nomination for President. It is true the Democratic party is for free silver. It is a fact for free trade. Mr. Teller as a Democratic nominee would have been forced to sacrifice his faith in the Republican idea of protection of which he has always been a standard defender.

It seems that he was willing to this. The idea that he is a man of firm convictions, who would not give up his principles, is therefore erroneous.

Mr. Teller appears merely as a scheming politician devoid of honor and having no sense of shame. He has deserted the party that has honored him time and again, and has allied himself with anarchists, Populists, and the worst element of the Democratic party, the host elements of which are, and always have been, had enough. Mr. Teller wants to be President, but by his efforts to be such he has made himself obnoxious to all true American citizens. It is said that Benedict Arnold who betrayed his country for British gold, died despised by the men to whom he sold his honor. He was known as Arnold the traitor, and he died unwept, unmourned and unnamed.

Henry M. Teller is the Benedict Arnold of the Republican party. He has betrayed his right to the respect and confidence of Republicans, and has won the contempt of Democrats. He is Teller the traitor.

ILLINOIS Democrats are clamoring for another ticket. They say the Chicago ticket cannot be pushed down their throats.

The meanness, most contemptible and most cowardly outrage ever perpetrated upon any political party was that of the Chicago Convention, taking forcible possession of Populism, without throwing so much as a crumb to its leaders, Waite, Algeld, DeLo & Co., had spent years of unremitting toil in creating among the Western people a spirit of distrust and anarchy and just when they were preparing to register the strength of their following, Democracy, dishonored abroad, disgraced and abandoned at home, builds its fortune on the foundation these men have laid and leaves their leaders without a following and politicians without a party. Dick Turpin himself would have blushed at such a shameful steal.

What a Menace.

The Chicago Times-Herald says: The nomination of William Jennings Bryan as the Democratic candidate for President of the United States means that there is a scattered, not numerous, but resolute party in this country in favor of:

Extinction of the right of private contract.

Compulsion of the people of the United States to take sixteen pounds of silver as the equivalent to one pound of gold when in the markets of the world one pound of gold is worth thirty pounds of silver.

Revival of the income tax.

Legislation so to alter the Supreme Court of the United States as to make it Populist.

Voluntary bankruptcy of the National Government.

Involuntary bankruptcy of all business men of the United States who are not Vanderbilts and Astors, capable of resisting or surviving the inevitable panic when the National monetary standard slumped from gold to silver.

Rev. Robert Oldham preached his last sermon as pastor of Pleasant Grove Church on Sunday the 12th. He has resigned his pastorate of the church and carries with him the good will and commendation of the church and community. His pastorate has been long and successful and has marked an epoch of good feeling and harmony in the church.

Rev. Craig has been conducting a protracted meeting at Pleasant Walk school house.

Mrs. L. D. DeWeese and Mrs. Florence Schroeder were the guests of Aunt Lou White on the 12th, the event being her seventy-fourth birthday. She is in good health and is remarkably strong and promises to reach her four score and ten. She was never married.

Mrs. Lizzie Truman, of Owensboro, has been visiting relatives and friends here for the past two weeks. Mrs. Truman formerly lived here and her advent was welcome.

P. A. Moxley and D. W. Golsby have purchased the timber on the Thomas Phillips farm and will run it to Evansville this winter.

Mr. Wm. Earley, formerly of this place, was shot and killed in the fork of Rough by one Carnil on the 13th and was buried on the 14th at the Roach burying grounds. From what has been learned the killing was entirely unprovoked and was nothing less than a brutal murder.

John Lillard and family, of Cloverport, have been visiting Taylor Murphy and family for the past week.

Wants His Free Silver.

The Lebanon Enterprise says it has received the following communication dated Cuban Town, Marion county, Ky.:—"Dear editor:—I that I wud drop in a line to let yu wen did yu expect the 1st kar hole af fre Silver also whaee wud itt he distriby bittit at i head telt that bil Swinney was er goin to be the teller wot dun the dshin outt also how much is every feller goin to get and better i huing a Spring wagon? please ag ym Fil-lips ill he wots hunder bushel number one Wheat at 2 dollar 55 cent a bushel yores as ever bill buggs"

Corn is looking well and it is said there will be as much made as there was last year.

Mr. Sylvester White's grist mill will not grind for awhile owing to Mr. Ford wanting his engine to put to his threshing.

Rev. J. D. Duncan filled his regular appointment here last Sunday.

Dr. Byers, of Olaton, was here last week.

There is several of this community are attending the singing at Anthrac.

Mrs. Sarah Smith and her sister, of Louisville, are visiting their father this week.

Mr. John Daniel, of Illinois and his brother of Owensboro, are visiting relatives in this community.

Turn to the wife of Mr. J. M. Miller on the 11th, a girl.

Mr. C. V. Christian kept a pumpkin until the first of July, the longest that one was ever known to keep in this country.

Effectual.—Charles J. Booth, Olive-wood, Cal., says: "I have used Ayer's Pills in my family for several years, and have always found them most effectual in the relief of ailments arising from a disordered stomach, torpid liver, and constipated bowels."

Sound Money Democrats.

The sound money Democrats throughout the country are highly displeased at the action of the Chicago convention and now talk of meeting in convention for President and Vice President. We do not believe, however, that they will name a ticket.

et, notwithstanding the urgent demand in some sections. The eastern sound money Democrats are keeping quiet as they yet control the organizations in the various states, and by taking such action would run the risk of losing out. The western sound money Democrats are already out and pushing the sound money candidate idea. Such nomination would doubtless injure McKinley's chances but he has such a commanding lead over the others that he can win anyway.

McKinley in the People.

Addressing a delegation of the Foraker Club at Canton, O., on July 11, Hon. William McKinley said:

"Our difficulty now is to set our money in circulation and invest it in productive enterprises, which furnish employment to American labor. This is impossible with the distrust that hangs over the country at the present time, and every effort to make our dollars, or any one of them, worth less than one hundred cents each only serves to increase that distrust. What we want is a sound policy, financial and industrial, which will give courage and confidence to all, for when that is done the money now unemployed because of fear for the future and lack of confidence in investment, will appear in the channels of trade.

"Gentlemen, the employment of our idle money—the idle money we already have—in gainful pursuits will put every idle man in the country at work, and where there is work there is wages, and when there is work wages earners are consumers, who constitute the best market for the products of our soil.

"Having destroyed business and confidence by a Free Trade policy, it is now proposed to make things still worse by entering upon an era of depreciated currency. Not content with the inauguration of a ruinous policy, which has brought down the wages of the laborers and the prices of farm products, its advocates now offer a new policy, which will diminish the value of money in which wages and products are paid. Against both of these we stand opposed. Our creed embraces an honest dollar, an untarnished national credit, advocates revenue for the use of Government. Protection to labor, preservation of the home market and a reciprocity which will extend to our foreign markets.

"Upon this platform we stand and submit its declaration to the sober and considerate judgment of the American people."

Chapter on Money Making.

A correspondent of the New York Sun very cleverly says:

If a man takes a piece of steel worth 15 cents and makes it into watch springs worth \$100, that is skill.

If he takes a piece of paper worth 2 cents and writes on it a poem that sells for \$50, that is genius.

If he takes a farm worth \$5 an acre and by his labor and knowledge puts it in heart again and makes it worth \$50 an acre, that is work.

If a man takes a hammer worth 60 cents and in a day's use of it earns \$1.35, that's hard work.

If a man buys a yearling at a trotting sale for \$15 that in 3 year form develops ability to make a mile at a 2:26, that is judgment.

If a man buys a silver mine he has never seen and it makes him a millionaire, that's luck.

If a man buys an article to-day for \$1.50 and sells it to-morrow for \$3.50, that's business.

But when a government takes 53 cents worth of silver and coins it into a cent piece, and says legislatively that it is 100 cents, or a dollar, and pays it out as such to its creditors, that is not finance, but highway robbery.

A Question of Policy.

The true policy of sound money Democrats is to crush, beyond all power or hope of resurrection, the Populist combination, which has gained ascendancy in their party. By doing so they will regain control of affairs if they preserve their State organizations in their own hands. To do so effectively, the better way is to co-operate with the Republicans and elect McKinley by a majority so immense and pronounced that anarchists and free silver fanatics will be not only defeated, but demoralized. Another ticket will divide the sound money forces and place them in a minority. At a disavowal in the regulating control of their party. To put it in the field, State and county conventions would have to be called to appoint delegates to another National Convention. The ticket nominated could not be called Democratic, for there is already a Democratic ticket regularly appointed. The new ticket would have to be named for another party, which would cause embarrassment, and its supporters would practically be acting outside the Democratic party. By still holding to their party and helping Republicanism throw the pirates and mutineers overboard who have captured their ship, the cardinal and capable navigators can again take command and run the craft upon safer waters.

Secretary Morton, in an interview, makes a very strong point. He says, it instead of holding the Charleston convention the Douglas Democrats had voted for Lincoln, the South never would have seceded. A union of all the men in 1860 who believe in the Union would have given Lincoln such an overwhelming majority that it would have demonstrated not only the folly, but the late, of secession. This lesson from the past is worthy of consideration.

Women who are weak and nervous, who have no appetite and cannot sleep, find strength and vigor in Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The following well-known Democratic journals repudiate the Democratic candidate and platform selected at Chicago:

Boston, Mass.—Globe, Herald, Baltimore, Md.—Sun, News, Buffalo, N. Y.—Courier, Inquirer, Brooklyn, N. Y.—Eagle, Bennington, Vt.—Reformer, Chicago—Chronicle, Staats-Zeitung, Charleston, W. Va.—News, Charleston, S. C.—News and Courier.

Dayton, O.—Times, Detroit, Mich.—Free Press, Fitchburg, Mass.—Mail, Holyoke, Mass.—Free Press, Hartford, Ct.—Times, Lansing, Mich.—Journal, Louisville, Ky.—Courier-Journal, Anzeiger, Post, Times, Lewiston, Me.—Sun, Lowell, Mass.—Times, La Crosse, Wis.—Chronicle, Manchester, N. H.—Union, Machias, Me.—Union, Memphis, Tenn.—Scimitar, New Haven, Conn.—Register, Philadelphia, Pa.—Record, Times, Providence, R. I.—Journal, Petersburg, Va.—Index Appeal, Richmond, Va.—Times, Salem, Mass.—News, Sioux Falls, S. D.—Argus-Leader, St. Paul, Minn.—Globe, St. Louis, Mo.—Anzeiger des Westens, Springfield, Mass.—Republican, Syracuse, N. Y.—Courier, Trenton, N. J.—Times, Utica, N. Y.—Observer, Washington, D. C.—Post, Yonkers, N. Y.—Gazette.

This is rather significant and means much. With such organs as these and solid Republican vote the election of McKinley is assured. The list of repudiators will continue growing until all the ballots have been cast into the political urn next November.

Populist Convention.

A large number of Populists met in convention at the Court House last Saturday for the purpose of selecting delegates to their State Convention, which met in Paducah last Monday. The meeting was called to order by County Chairman J. P. Miller, who stated the object of the meeting.

Judge Ben Newton was elected Chairman and A. S. Worsey secretary. A committee was appointed on resolutions and while waiting for the committee to report Mr. Johnson, of Meade county, made a speech. After the committee reported the meeting adjourned.

"Have tried others, but like Ayer's best" is the statement made over and over again by those who testify to the benefit derived from the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Disease never had a greater enemy than this powerful blood purifier. It makes the weak strong.

Your Duty.

It is the duty of every Republican in Ohio county and the 4th Congressional District to subscribe for and help support THE HARTFORD REPUBLICAN. When the paper was first established the county was hopelessly Democratic and by the help of THE REPUBLICAN the party has been more solidly united and to-day Ohio county stands among the Republican counties of the State. The 4th District has always been Democratic until 1894 when it was turned into the Republican column. THE REPUBLICAN does not claim all the honors for these changes for the better, but does insist that it has been a leading factor in making these great changes, hence it is the duty of the Republican party to stand firm for their organ in both the District and county. THE REPUBLICAN is almost alone in battling for Republican principles in the District in the newspaper line, while there is about fifteen Democratic papers.

Let every Republican turn out and see how many good cash subscribers they can get for the paper and let others remember if they are behind on their subscription, to come forward and pay up without delay.

Let nobody remain at home during the Temperance Camp Meeting, but "fork up" and go to Sulphur Springs.

Louisiana's New Holiday.

Louisiana has decided to make January 16, General Robert E. Lee's birthday, a public holiday. The idea of observing a special day in commemoration of or in memory of the Southern Confederacy was proposed only a few years ago, but it has met with universal favor through the South. A convention of Confederate veterans suggested June 3 as a proper holiday, it being the birthday of "President" Jefferson Davis, the head and front of "the lost cause." But the people seem to take a different view of the matter, and to have selected a different hero. Only one State, Florida, has accepted the suggestion of the veterans and made June 3 "Confederate Day" while Louisiana is the fifth to select Lee's birthday instead; and this selection is the more marked because Jefferson Davis was well known in New Orleans, was a frequent resident here, and his permanent home, Removoir, is practically a suburb of the city. Louisiana's action has probably settled the matter, and "Confederate Day" will commemorate Lee instead of Davis as the ideal Southern hero. (From Harper's Weekly.)

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The iron grasp of scrofula has no money upon its victims. This demon of the blood is often not satisfied with causing dreadful sores, but racks the body with the pains of rheumatism until Hood's Sarsaparilla cures.

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Hood's Pills. I took them, easy to take, easy to get, 25c.

GERMAN-AMERICANS.

They Are Almost Unanimous for Sound Money.

Mr. Gustav H. Schwab is president of the German society of New York city and is therefore in touch with Germans and German-Americans in this country. Being also a prominent business man, he is familiar with the views of Germans on the financial question. In an interview on May 14 he said:

I am convinced from my knowledge of the German-American fellow citizens and their views of thinking that the vast majority of them in the coming political contest will entirely disregard party ties and will vote for that party which declares for the maintenance, beyond a possibility of doubt, of the gold standard of value, and that they will not give their suffrage to any candidate who may be suspected of a leaning toward free silver coinage or toward any compromise with the silver people.

They consider that the paramount question before the country at present is the integrity of our monetary system, and their votes will go to that party which they believe will uphold the country's financial honor, regardless of what their views may be on other political questions. Previous experience has shown that German voters are especially relating to or affecting the standard of value have always stood for common honesty, and that they have uniformly opposed all forms of financial heresy.

When, 20 years ago, the paper money inflation question was agitated in Missouri, the Germans of that State were arrayed on the side of sound money. The Germans of Illinois are on record as always having been on the right side of the money question, and as never having been led astray by cheap money propaganda at any time. A German business man, who has been several years in Chicago, who has a wide acquaintance with the small bankers and merchants throughout the west, tells me that he has had occasion to hear expressions from his German countrymen for years past, on the question of a monetary standard, and that he has never yet found one who was not in favor of the gold standard and opposed to the free coinage of silver.

His opinion is that the German citizens of Illinois are unanimously opposed to any impairment of the present gold standard.

It is a fact, universally known, that the sound-money victory in Ohio in the gubernatorial campaign of 1875, in which Luther H. Hayes ran on a Republican hard-money platform against William Allen, on a Democratic paper-money inflation platform, was due to the firm stand taken by the Germans, who, disregarding party lines, turned the scale in the election in favor of honest money. This fact was conceded at the time by the republican press of the State, and the Democratic candidate voiced the sentiments of his party leaders when he gave utterance to his ingrained feelings after the election by exclaiming: "The Dutch are a hard-headed folk." The German voters are certainly not to be misled when they are asked to prostitute the country's financial honor at their party's bidding. In the State of Wisconsin the Germans have taken the same united stand in favor of sound money, and the same may be said of Michigan, Iowa and Minnesota.

The entire German newspaper press in this country, with few exceptions, is emphatically for sound money, as it has been in the past, and can be depended upon to pronounce in favor of the maintenance of the present standard of value and for the party that represents this principle, regardless of previous party affiliations. Several important German Democratic papers in the western states have already threatened to bolt their ticket if a free silver plank should be adopted. As an indication of the general sentiment of the German press I refer to the position taken by the largest and oldest German newspaper in the south, the Democrat, of Louisville, in the last state election in Kentucky. Although always Democratic up to that time, this paper bolted the Democratic free silver candidate and urged the election of the Republican sound money candidate for governor.

The importance of the German vote will be apparent when the numerical strength of the German-American population in the pivotal states is considered. The returns of the census of 1890 show that the state of New York then contained 972,603 German-Americans, Ohio, 341,497; Illinois, 690,588; Pennsylvania, 475,433; Michigan, 274,238; Wisconsin, 253,234; Minnesota, 244,034; Iowa, 200,603; and Missouri, 207,095.

Whatever may be the decision of the national conventions on the money question, this issue will be fairly, squarely and most thoroughly placed before the people, and as to the nature of his response I do not entertain the slightest doubt.

Simple Question for Silver Leaders.

Who would be benefited by adulteration of the currency? Not the farmers. They could not be better off if they got two 50-cent dollars where they get now one 100-cent dollar, and that is the utmost Tillman would be able to give them. But the fearful contraction of the currency caused by a collapse of standard money to the 50-cent cheap silver standard would create such hard times that for years workmen would get hardly more than 50 cents a day, and they get now 100-cent dollars. How would that benefit them? Neither Algeird nor Tillman has ever explained this simple question. (Chicago Tribune.)

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The colored people of Hayti met Tuesday night of last week and organized a colored Republican League Club. They held a meeting Tuesday night and appointed P. A. Gary to represent the club at the meeting of the State League Club at Frankfort, July 28, 1896.



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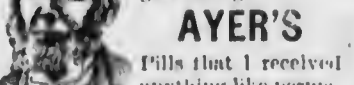
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Col. Lent McHenry is in town. Quarterly Court has been in session this week.  
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Mr. J. H. Nave, Louisville, was in town this week.  
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Mr. R. P. Miller, Oceansboro, was in town last Saturday.  
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Field & Holbrook defy all competition in the buggy line.  
Mr. Wood Tinsley has been granted a pension of \$6.00 per month.  
Master Estlin Barnett, son of Hon. C. M. Barnett is quite sick of flux.

Miss Parkie Gregory has returned from a visit to her sister in Louisville.  
Mrs. Alonzo Walker, Louisville is visiting her mother, Mrs. Zelma Gregory.  
Mr. C. M. Crow and O. J. Thomas were in Whitesville the first of the week.  
A large number of our friends gave THE REPUBLICAN office pleasant calls this week.

Messrs. S. B. Bishop and E. L. Myers, Reader, gave us a pleasant call Monday.  
Field & Holbrook are selling Buggies, harness, Moore's Lapidus and whips.  
If you are needing a nice H. M. T. buggy call and price at Field & Holbrook before you buy.

Mrs. Sallie Johnson and son, Henry, Louisville, are visiting the family of Mr. F. W. Pirtle, near town.  
Mr. Jo B. Vickers has rented a portion of Mrs. Zelma Gregory's house and has gone to keeping house.

Mr. and Mrs. McEwell Fair and children have returned from a visit to friends and relatives at Stanley, Ky.  
Hon. Jno. J. McHenry and wife, Mrs. Jennie McHenry and Miss Alice McHenry have returned from Colorado.

A large amount of stock passed through town this week on their way to Ellendale Fair, which meet next week.  
Mrs. Jesse R. Eskridge, Hardinsburg, was in town for a few hours last Saturday. He was on his way to Morgantown on a legal business.

The Hartford and Fordsville base ball teams played a match game of ball at Fordsville last Saturday in which the Hartford team came out victorious.  
Hon. C. M. Barnett has two tube roses which he got out of George Washington's garden during his recent visit to that historic place. Mr. Barnett prizes the flowers very highly.

Mrs. Ella Buskell, of Centertown, was tried Tuesday and was found to be of unsound mind, and I. M. Ford was appointed to convey her to the Asylum at Hopkinsville.  
Chairman Jo A. Parker, of the Populist party spoke at the Court House last Saturday. While here he renewed old acquaintances. He was at one time a compositor on the old Kentucky Progress.

In the case of W. H. Barnes vs. J. H. Thomas, in which the plaintiff sued the defendant for negligently falling a tree intended for saw logs upon a cow of the plaintiff; the jury found a verdict for the defendant.

The young people of town gave a delightful dance in the vacant rooms over J. W. Ford & Co's feed store Tuesday night. It was rather a surprise dance, but a large number were in attendance, and a pleasant time was spent by all who attended.

The following named persons have paid their subscription to THE REPUBLICAN since our last issue. Sylvester White, J. L. Morris, House Branch; O. P. Willis, Palo; W. H. Heflin, Heflin; Ansel Wilson, Rosine; Geo. M. Maddox, Cervino; Jno. W. Tichenor, Point Pleasant.

Last Saturday we sent out notices to some of our subscribers to the amount of several hundred dollars. We would not have done this if we had not needed the money. We realize that the times are hard and money scarce, but do try to help us out on your account. If you cannot pay it all, pay as much as you can on it. You know just how much you owe, and you will confer a great favor on us by sending it in without delay.

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\$25,000 on desirable farm property for a term of years. Call at the Ohio County Bank or to R. E. Lee Simmerman.

**A Pleasant Hayride.**  
Monday night was a gay time for the young folks of town. A large party had prepared for a moonlight hayride, and long before night everything was in readiness for the merry jaunts. The young folks had employed Mr. A. McCrackin to take them out for the picnic. The following named young people composed the party:

Misses Bertie Morton, Susie White, Corinne Cox, Jessie Allen, Rita Thomas, Maggie Guenther, Mary Nall, Myrtle and Lizzie Chandler. Messrs. Charlie Rogers, Henry Nall, Clarence Field, Robert Walker, James Thomas, Lee Stevens, Willie King and Wayne Griffin.

Miss Coleman chaperoned the party.

Dr. A. R. Stanley, Hopkinsville, was in town last Saturday.

Mr. A. Jones and E. B. Allen went to Centertown on business Wednesday.

Mrs. F. E. Nelson has returned from a two weeks visit to relatives in Hardin county.

Master Jno. J. Williams, who has been quite sick for the past few weeks, is improving.

Marriage license: Jno. S. Jackson to Martha J. Kirk, Worth Smith to Annie Spurrier, E. A. Byers to Maggie McLean.

Mr. J. M. Casebier, who has been quite sick for several days, is reported to be somewhat better.

Rev. J. S. Chandler, Jr., will preach at the Methodist Church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Mr. John Willis has sold his storehouse and dwelling at Sunnydale to Mr. C. N. Dean for \$400.00.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Southard, Prentiss, were the guest of Judge and Mrs. Jno. P. Martin Wednesday.

Col. J. B. Nall, of Louisville, was the guest of the family of Dr. J. R. Pendleton the first of the week.

Mr. J. H. Vickers has moved his law office into the vacant room next door to THE REPUBLICAN Office.

Teachers are invited to call at THE REPUBLICAN Office next week. We can furnish you with grade cards.

Sheliff Keown will advertise all non-resident property for sale next week on which the tax has not been paid.

All members of Rough River Lodge No. 110 K. of P. are requested to be on hand at Castle Hall next Tuesday night.

Field & Holbrook buy their buggies by the car load direct from the manufactory paying cash. Hence the low prices.

Rev. J. C. Craig filled his regular appointment at Concord last Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Sallie Morris, widow of the late Darl Morris, died at the home of her son, J. T. Morris, on the 15th. After the funeral by Rev. G. J. Bean, she was buried at the Brown graveyard. She was 77 years old.

Mrs. Sarah Johnson and son, Henry, Louisville, are visiting the family of F. W. Pirtle.

Miss Mary Rowe of Spring Lick, and Miss Alice Berry, of Whitesville, are visiting the Misses Pirtle.

Miss Georgia Coppage is on an extended visit to Cloverport.

Mr. James Gray is on the sick list at this writing.

Miss Ida Gray, who has been sojourning among us for some weeks, has returned to her home near Owensboro.

Miss Alice King, Kinderhook, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. D. King, Plover, Mo.

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Rev. Casebier filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Lottie Barnett has returned from a two weeks visit to friends in Morgantown.

Misses Jessie and Mary Smith, Hartford, who have been visiting Miss Beulah Coots, returned home last Friday.

Miss Gertie Monroe is visiting in Morgantown this week.

A large number of young folks from Hartford came over Monday evening for a "hay ride." They gave the Austin House a pleasant surprise. We invite them to come over again.

Misses Attye and Sade Austin spent Friday in Hartford with their aunt, Mrs. I. B. Bean.

Misses Mattie and Alma Harrel and Misses Campbell and Tilford, Rockport, were in town Sunday afternoon.

Misses Emma and Fannie Barnes, Messrs. C. W. Parrott and R. P. Barnes spent Sunday in the country with Miss Viola Pirtle, who is taking vacation with her parents.

Misses Anna McKenney and Attye Austin, Messrs. A. M. Hunt and C. P. Austin were in Hartford Sunday evening.

Mr. J. H. Nave, Louisville, was in town Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. Joe Monroe, Chicago, is the guest of his brother, Mr. Felix Monroe.

Mrs. R. P. Hocker, daughter and son, spent Sunday afternoon in Hartford.

Miss Cliffee Gray has been visiting the Misses Rogers.

Mr. Ed Byers, McHenry, and Miss Metcalf, city, were married at the brides home Wednesday evening at 7:30. ATTYE.

**28th.**  
Rev. J. C. Craig filled his regular appointment at Concord last Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Sallie Morris, widow of the late Darl Morris, died at the home of her son, J. T. Morris, on the 15th. After the funeral by Rev. G. J. Bean, she was buried at the Brown graveyard. She was 77 years old.

Mrs. Sarah Johnson and son, Henry, Louisville, are visiting the family of F. W. Pirtle.

Miss Mary Rowe of Spring Lick, and Miss Alice Berry, of Whitesville, are visiting the Misses Pirtle.

Miss Georgia Coppage is on an extended visit to Cloverport.

Mr. James Gray is on the sick list at this writing.

Miss Ida Gray, who has been sojourning among us for some weeks, has returned to her home near Owensboro.

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were tried before Esqr. C. L. Woodward Wednesday on a charge of disturbing religious worship at latter school house on the 11th and 14th of July, 1896. They were arrested at the instance of Rev. H. F. Jenkins. After hearing the evidence and arguments of counsel the jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

**Harvest Meeting.**  
The old Buck Creek Church, McHenry county, having invited Dr. J. S. Coleman to preach a special sermon there next Sunday, they have arranged for a grand occasion, by inviting neighboring churches and Ministers to co-operate. Ample provisions will be on the grounds, the purpose being to give their old pastor, who preached for that church 21 years, a reception which shall be worthy of the man and the occasion.

This testimonial is unsolicited and for the benefit of humanity. My daughter has been subject to severe colds and croup and often taken with violent coughing spells at night. Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey is the only preparation I have found that will relieve her. I think it is as necessary in the household as a life preserver on a steamboat. Res'y, Jan. 18, 1895 B. L. JESSUP, 202 W. Bridge St., Louisville, Ky.

For sale by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., druggist, and Renfrow Bros., Norrows, Ky.

J. S. Vaught will take care of your horse during the Institute next week.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children she gave them Castoria.

**UNION.**  
Crops are looking well. People in this community are done threshing wheat; crop very light; fruit crop is good.

Mrs. Ada Reed has been sick for several weeks with throat trouble.

Mrs. Everett Chapman and little son are the guests of Mrs. Eliza Taylor.

Mr. Thomas Bennett and family spent a few days near South Carrollton this week, the guests of Mr. Alney Calloway.

Mr. Wm. Turpin, of Henderson, spent several days last week in this neighborhood.

Several of our farmers went to Owensboro last week with tobacco. S. B. F.

Good Old Granny Metcalf, 86 years old, living at 618 Monroe street, Paducah, Ky., says that Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey is the best grip cure, cough, lung and bronchial remedy that has been offered to the people during her life. Guaranteed by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., druggist, and Renfrow Bros., Norrows, Ky.

Squire Vaught says that the reason Supt. Shultz wants the Institute held in Hartford is because the Squire will feed their horses for 15c per meal or 40c per day.

**A Million Gold Dollars**  
Would not bring happiness to the person suffering with dyspepsia, but Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured many thousands of cases of this disease. It tones the stomach, regulates the bowels and puts all the machinery of the system in good working order. It creates a good appetite and gives health, strength and happiness.

Hood's Pills act harmoniously with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Cure all liver ills. 25 cents.

Married on Tuesday July 21st at the residence of Rev. J. P. Hicka, Mr. Worth Smith to Miss Annie Spurrier. The event was most auspicious, though but a small crowd was present. In a most beautiful ceremony the Rev. Hicks united the happy couple and they immediately took their departure followed by the congratulations of friends. May their happy union be blessed with many children and their anniversary find them more united.

**Bucklen's Arnica Salve.**  
THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. FOR SALE BY Williams & Bell.

**Colored Republicans meet at Reader**  
Last Saturday.

Pursuant to call issued by the McJohnson Republican League of Frankfort, Ky. J. D. Walker succeeded in getting the colored people of Reader and McHenry organized into a club. The colored people believe that the prosperity of this country is greatly depending upon the election of the Republican ticket. The club will be known as the Reader Republican Club. J. H. Glover was selected to represent the colored people with the aforesaid McJohnson Club at Frankfort on the 28th inst. The meeting was well attended. J. D. Walker was chairman pro tem, and J. H. Taylor is permanent secretary.

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Hall's Hair Renewer renders the hair lustrous and silken, gives it an even color, and enables women to put it up in the great variety of styles.

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MOST PERFECT MADE.  
A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.  
40 YEARS THE STANDARD.  
ELLENDALE.

The big Kentucky Fair begins this year on July 28th and ends August 1st. Five days devoted to instruction, amusement and recreation. The management are unflinching superhuman efforts to make it the leading fair of the State. There will be improvements and rare attractions in all departments. The gorgeous floral hall of '95 will be eclipsed by the splendor of this year. A \$110 Packard organ will be given to the best display of ladies' work in the hall and \$25.00 in gold to the best display of each county represented by at least three displays. The best article of each class will also receive a liberal premium. The Poultry Exhibit promises to make the poultry show second to none in the State. Premiums liberal and classification full. New regulation coups are used and poultry judged according to the American standard of perfection by T. D. Heimlich, the expert judge of Jacksonville, Ill.

The race track is in most excellent condition, being several seconds faster than last year. It is without doubt one of the fastest half mile tracks in the State, and on it will be fine running, trotting and pacing races, men's, children's and women's bicycle races, mule, hound and goat races and foot and potato races.

Accommodations for 10,000 people that will be in daily attendance will ample, luxurious and cheap. Beside the big hotel there will be a village of tents—small tents, family tents and tents big enough to sleep a Sunday School excursion.

Handsome premiums given to couples marrying on the grounds on Wednesday and Thursday.

Excursion rates on all railroads and rivers of middle and Western Kentucky.

Admission 25c. Tuesday the 28th being ladies' day, ladies and children under 10 free. W. F. RAHMER, President Ellendale Fair Co.

For further information and premium lists address the Secretary. Privileges add to highest and best bidder. Bids close July 10th 1896. R. T. SMITH, Ellendale, near Curdsville, Ky.

Remember our campaign offer, THE REPUBLICAN from now until after the election for 25cts. cash.

Take advantage of our low rate and get your favorite county paper from now until Nov. 25, for 25 cents cash in advance.

**All out for Sulphur Springs to attend the Temperance Camp Meeting.**

Call on Bullington, the banner.

**For Sale.**  
I will, as Treasurer of school District No. 1 (colored) offer for sale at the Court House door in Hartford, Ky., on Monday, August 3, 1896, the property belonging to the following named tax payers—amount of tax opposite each name:

Names.	Taxes.
Shanks Brooks	\$1.00
Isaac Stovall	2.00
Sam Moseley	2.00
Louis Griffin	1.00
Ben Carter	2.00
Riley Griffin	2.00
Willie Taylor	1.00

On the above amounts there is a fee of \$2.00 added to each account. 48 st JOHN KING, Treasurer.

**Heart Trouble Quickly Cured.**  
A Convincing Testimonial.

"For 15 years I suffered from heart trouble. During that time I was treated by five different physicians. All of them claimed that I could not be cured. I was greatly troubled with shortness of breath, palpitation and pain in the side. If I became excited, or exerted myself in the least, the pain in my side became very severe. At times it seemed as though needles were shooting through my side. Sometime in the month of November last, I commenced taking

**DR. MILES' HEART CURE**  
and since then I have improved steadily. I can now sleep



# Hartford Republican

FRIDAY JULY 21 1895.

## TO CUT DOWN WAGES.

By Paying the Workmen in Cheap Silver Dollars.

Ex-Gov. Horace, of Iowa, is franker than the average farmer who pretends that his 50-cent dollar scheme would benefit the working classes. In a recent interview he says:

"I have myself in this state two farms, paid for largely with money I have earned as a lawyer. One is a farm of 2,200 acres of land, and the other contains 1,000 acres. With the present price of labor and the present price paid for farm products, no man in the world could take either of these farms, even if I should present him with the ground, and make a dollar out of it. I know, of course, that he could not equip the farm and pay interest on the money invested in the equipment and wages for labor out of the income he would get by selling the products. A farmer who works himself and is assisted by the labor of sons and daughters could make a small farm pay, but no farm is profitable when conducted on the basis of a manufacturing business. Cheap and abundant money is the only remedy for this intolerable state of things."

This is a candid admission that he thinks that wages are now too high, and that in some way free silver will give the farmers cheaper labor. The mere fact of an increase in the price of farm products would not make farming profitable, if, as is claimed by most of the sixteen to one hundred farmers who would be doubled along with doubled prices of everything the farmer buys. Mr. Boies clearly expects that the result of "cheap and abundant money" will be the practical reduction of the price paid for farm labor. This would no doubt be a very good thing for a rich man with 2,200 acres of land. But what does the poor laborer think of the scheme? Are the American people ready to vote for a debased currency which will reduce the wages of the workers?

Next in importance to the confession that free silver would cut down wages is the admission that "a farmer who works himself can make a small farm pay." What kind of farmers does Mr. Boies expect to prosper? Men who have bought up big tracts of land which they hold out of use in the expectation of selling it at a high price, and in the meantime are working it with hired labor? That is not the kind of farmers which Americans wish to see thrive. The man who owns and works his own land is the ideal farmer of this country. The big estate with its great acres of land may do well in new territories as being opened up, but the welfare of the republic depends on the men who cultivate the soil owning the land they till. If ex-Gov. Boies thinks himself entitled to an income from his land without working it himself, he is very much mistaken. No farmer should prosper who simply "owns land" and expects to make a profit out of other men's labor. That under free silver a few men could use cheap money to speculate in land and get rich out of the toil of the underpaid laborer is the very best reason why the masses should vote against it.

Gov. Boies admits that the farmer who works can make his farm pay, but in another part of the same interview he says that farms bought 20 or 25 years ago cannot be made to pay interest on their cost. The farmer who bought land against cheap money, for the time being, has been deceived. The price of land has risen, but the price of labor has risen still higher, so that the man who bought farms has been struggling ever since to pay for them. The heavy mortgages, with high interest rates, which are now on many farms, have their origin in the high speculative price of land caused by the cheap money craze of the last generation. Free coinage would repeat the evils brought about by the worthless of greenbacks, and while not helping the present owners of farms, would benefit speculators and make it harder for the millions of landless and homeless men to get a piece of land on which to make a living.

Mr. Boies is evidently a sincere man and is advocating free silver with the idea that it will help men, like himself, who own big tracts of land. But as the only results of that policy would be the repudiation of debts, the reduction of wages and the enrichment of the men who speculate in land but do not work themselves, he is not a safe guide for honest citizens.—William Graham.

**Farm Wages and Profits.**

Ex-Gov. Boies, of Iowa, says he cannot pay the present rate of wages and make his 2,200-acre farm pay. He says that no farmer who has to hire his help can make money at farming under the gold standard. Ex-Congressman Blaine says that wages of all kinds will rise under free coinage.

It would naturally be inferred from Boies' statement that he wants free coinage to lower farm wages so that the big farmers can make money out of the labor of others. Blaine's opinion evidently is that free coinage would be a good thing for the farm laborer and therefore, so far as wages are concerned, a bad thing for the less farmers.

The two leading free coinage advocates should get together. It ought also be well for farmers and "farmhands" to investigate these conflicting statements.

**Savings Bank Deposits, Another.**

"All the great savings banks states, with the exception of California, say that for the gold plan at St. Louis," says the Boston Transcript. "It is safe to say that the vote for the gold plan stood for nearly seven-eighths of the total deposits, and perhaps more. These deposits, amounting to more than \$7,000,000, are the rainy-day savings, as the Transcript says, of the 'toll' millions' about whom the silverites are so greatly concerned. The Transcript adds: 'Belonging their dependents, these deposits stand for a very considerable proportion of the entire population of the United States. If free coinage triumphs, these deposits will virtually be cut in halves.'"

**HOW TO SETTLE IT.**

Only two ways out of the silver question, says a Londoner. One is to let the Ex-Congressman John D. Whitman, ex-Gov. of Iowa, and Richard P. Flood in a discussion of the money question in the New York Journal of July 1. I like many a western man, Mr. Whitman has a high opinion of the ability, character and motives of the silver people. He thinks that both the silver and those in the ranks of the extreme to one army are earnest, industrious, sober and God-fearing American citizens, who are shunning under actual grievances to the real cause of which they are greatly mistaken. We quote the following as part of Mr. Whitman's views:

"This proposed law to make people accept silver is not asked for by anybody who wants silver. It is just because people do not want silver and will not take it unless compelled to do so that our free silver friends want a law to make them take it. The only people who want the law are, therefore, not those who want silver, but those who want to get rid of it. Let our silver friends and thinking they can buy silver

more cheaply, want to make their creditors take it instead. It may be said that, as to future matters, we could make special contracts calling for gold. That is just what they can do now in regard to silver. As a matter of fact, a large and increasing proportion of contracts do provide specially for payment in gold. It is significant that no one is heard of silver contracts. The reason is no doubt that silver is excepted for the purpose of forcing it upon some one else.

"The most serious feature of the present situation is not so much the predicament in which we find ourselves as the apparent disposition in both parties not to take the only way out, which, if I may suggest it, is to accept the situation that the commerce of the world has created for itself, to recognize its general acceptance of the gold standard, and, leaving to commerce the things that belong to commerce, to resist any attempt at interference either by our government independently or by any combination between it and those of other nations."

"Personally I believe gold to be far superior to any other standard that is even remotely practicable, but if our commerce preferred silver I should consider it a necessary interference on the part of congress to interfere with that preference. And so, certain as I am that our commerce finds it more profitable and natural to use gold as a standard, I am all the more opposed to any attempt by congress to interfere with the natural course of business."

"Bad as would be the effect of free silver, and more of us are concluding that a few years of apprehension and financial paralysis, such as we have had, would be more damaging than the actual experience of free coinage of silver, a trial of which would at least establish certain facts and destroy many delusions."

**Where It Would End.**

To the warning of the true blue-prints that free silver would cut down wages to one by this government alone would drive gold out of use and money and so cause a disastrous contraction shallow critics sneeringly ask: "Where would it go?"

It would go where it went during war time—either abroad or into hiding or into vaults as a commodity for speculative gambling. It would go where gold has gone in every free coinage country in the world—out of sight or into the reserve for banks.

Gold is now in general use as currency in the Pacific states. It is held by the government and by banks in all parts of the country as a reserve to sustain the circulation of greenbacks and treasury notes and to maintain the bank credits. It serves perfectly its function as money. When it goes to premium, it will no longer do this.

Free coinage means silver monometallism.—N. Y. World.

**Where They Will Get Money.**

Asked by a Washington correspondent of the Chicago Times-Herald where they could get the funds with which to carry on a belief silver campaign after they had made their nominations at Chicago, one of the silver leaders built his head forward and whispered confidentially: "From the owners of silver mines and bullion out west we will get all the money we need."

**Best That Silver Can Expect.**

There is a field for silver hour currency system just as there is for paper, but it is one which is subordinate to gold. The silver standard cannot afford, either as a matter of honor or self-interest, to abandon the present single standard.—N. Y. Advertiser.

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Remember it. I will be your work quick and easy.

**THE BOLLERS' APPEAL.**

William H. Bollers, of their, Action by the Bollers Silver Republicans.

At a secret conference of the Bollers silver delegates to the St. Louis convention an address to the people of the United States was agreed upon and given to the press. This declaration of free coinage doctrine was prepared after careful consideration by Senators Teller, Dubois and Cannon and other silver leaders and may therefore be held to embody the strongest arguments which can be found in favor of the silver standard.

The grounds on which Senator Teller and his associates ask for support are the assertions that "the basis of our money is relatively contracting;" that "our financial policy is dictated by creditors' nations;" that "we produce all the necessities of life while other nations consume our products;" that "the restoration of bimetallicism by this country will double the basis of our money system;" that "falling prices are the deadliest curse of falling life;" and that "the silver dollar will help to bring about the great hope of every social reformer" of better conditions for the human race. On this platform the voters nominated Senator Teller as an independent free coinage candidate for president.

These claims of the silver Republicans are all untrue. Instead of contracting, the basis of our currency is steadily increasing. The production of gold is now about \$200,000,000 per year, and of this over \$120,000,000 is added to the world's stock of money. Our stock of full legal tender silver has increased from less than \$50,000,000 in 1873 to \$550,000,000 in 1895.

Our present financial policy was deliberately adopted by the representatives of the American people in congress assembled. The charge that it was dictated by foreign nations is an unfounded imputation on the men chosen to make our laws.

The idea that this is a country of producers while other nations are consumers only is too silly for argument. For every dollar's worth of products we sell abroad we buy back at some time a dollar's worth of foreign products, which we consume. We consume in the long run exactly as much as we produce.

The claim that "metallicism," by which is meant free coinage at sixteen to one, will double the basis of our money system is not believed by the silverites themselves. They know better, for they know that with the bullion value of silver falling to one, the cheaper metal would drive out the more valuable. This, instead of doubling the basis of our money, free silver monometallism would cut it in two by forcing gold out of circulation.

"Fallacies" are one almost exclusively to improve "heads of production."

by which life on the farm or in the workshop can create wealth more easily than in former years. This means that the masses can get more of the necessities and luxuries of life, and it is therefore a great blessing, and not a curse. Other reasons for falling prices are the new sources of production opened up in various parts of the world in recent years. The gold standard has had nothing to do with the lower prices.

The claim that "bimetallism (silver monometallism) will bring about the great hope of every social reformer" would be more convincing if it were accompanied by information as to how it would do it. In the absence of proof, general promises of better conditions under free silver are altogether too vague for sensible men to take risks on. A policy which depends on baseless assertions and positive perversion of facts can never gain the support of a majority of the American people, and the movement headed by Senator Teller is therefore doomed to failure.

**Small Boat, Big Whistle.**

The free coinage boat is pretty much all whistle, and when this whistle blows, the paddle wheel stops. Much noise and little work is the reason why the boat doesn't go.

**Cause of Free Silver Craze.**

The cause of the free silver craze is thought by the Baltimore Sun to be "the same which caused the greenback heresy to find advocates in so many states of the union 20 years ago—the feeling of unrest and a desire for a change, no matter what, produced by hard times, bad business and lack of employment—the desire, conscious or unconscious, of debtors to secure their debts by paying them in a depreciated currency—the vague idea that 'more money in circulation' means more money to each individual's pocket, with out reference to his means or opportunity to earn or acquire it."

**Killing the Goose, Etc.**

"The Baltimore Sun points out that 'our 'good' times have in the past always been times when foreigners were investing money freely among us. It was not altogether or chiefly our own savings that made business brisk. It was the continued influx of foreign gold. Now we are unfortunately isolated by the threat of the silver basis, and shall be bottled up industrially if we shall ever actually reach it. Our theorists kill the goose that laid the golden egg.'"

**RUSSIA MOVES FORWARD.**

Abandons the Debased Silver Money Standard and Adopts Gold.

After more than half a century's experience with silver monometallism and fiat money Russia has adopted the gold standard. This has been done in pursuance of Russia's determination to press forward by the march of the modern age.

In 1829 the silver ruble was established by imperial decree as the legal and undiminished metallic unit of the money current in the Russian empire. Russia has found that she cannot keep the silver standard and has therefore changed to the gold standard.

Silver will still be freely used in the Russian currency as it is in the currency of all nations which have the gold standard, and 140,000,000 ounces of silver are to be purchased and take the place of about one-fourth of the Russian paper currency.

The adoption of the gold standard will therefore result in a great improvement of the monetary system of that country. Twenty-five years ago the Russian ruble had a purchasing power of 74 cents in gold. It has fallen to about 49 cents, owing to the immense increase in the production of silver and the general adoption of the gold standard by the civilized world.

Russia has acted wisely in abandoning a depreciated money standard, and the adoption of the gold standard will make the empire a still more powerful factor in the affairs of Europe and the world.—Atlanta Journal.

**The Monetary Wrong.**

"The monetary wrong" for which Gov. Boies arraigns the republicans is, the Philadelphia Telegraph says, "the wrong of giving the poor man the best money in the world and assuring him that what little property he may possess, which he may need all he has put in, is safe from the uncertainty of a whitening and questionable currency; the wrong of insisting that the dollar paid to the wage earner shall be worth 100 cents and shall not be cut down to 50 cents."

**WHAT MAKES THEM POOR?**

A Free Silver Kindergarten Lesson for the Benefit of Those Who Need It. What is it makes some people poor? The crime of 1873.

How did that "crime" cause poverty? It strangled down one-half of the money of the country. How much silver money was there in the United States in 1873?

Less than \$50,000,000. Six hundred and twenty-five million dollars. Does this increase of about \$550,000,000 look like a reduction in the volume of our silver money?

So Senator Stewart says. What causes floods, droughts, weevil, bollworms, grasshoppers, gophers and other evils which injure the farmers and planters' crops?

The gold standard. What will make the cows give more milk, the sheep grow more wool, the hogs weigh twice as much and the hens lay bigger eggs?

The silver standard. Name some of the silver standard countries?

China, India and Mexico. Are the people of those countries more prosperous than the American farmers and workers?

No; they are a great deal poorer. Why has not their silver money made those countries richer?

Ask something easier. If there are more poor people in silver standard countries than in gold using nations, how would free coinage of 50 cent dollars abolish poverty in the United States?

This is one of the things that nobody can find out.

## General Directory.

**STATE OFFICIALS.**  
Governor—William O. Bradley.  
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Treasurer—Geo. W. Long.  
Commissioner of Agriculture, Horticulture and Statistics—Lucas Moore.

**Superintendent Public Instruction—Regin Land Office—Chas. O. Reynolds.**

**Insurance Bureau—Commissioner—D. W. Conique.**  
Adjutant General—D. R. Collier.  
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**RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS.**  
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**COMMONS-ONAL.**  
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Representative Fourth District—Hon. John W. Lewis.

**STATE LEGISLATURE.**  
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Representative Ohio County—Hon. C. M. Barnett.

**OHIO COUNTY.**  
Circuit Court—Hon. W. T. Owen, Judge—Owen-born.  
Hon. J. Edwin Howe, Attorney—Owen-born.

**County Court.**  
J. W. Black, Jailor—Hartford.  
G. B. Likens, Clerk—Hartford.  
B. D. Ring, Master Commissioner—Hartford.

**Trustee—Jury Fund—Hartford.**  
Cal. P. Keown, Sheriff—Hartford.  
Deputies—Samuel Keown—Hartford.

**County Court.**  
John P. Morgan, Judge—Hartford.  
D. M. Hocker, Clerk—Hartford.  
E. P. Neal, Attorney—Hartford.

**County Court.**  
County convenes first Monday in March and August and continues three weeks, and third Monday in May and November—two weeks.

**Quarterly Court.**  
Begins on the third Monday in January, April, July and October.

**Court of Claims.**  
Convenes first Monday in January, and Tuesday after the fourth Monday in October.

**OTHER COUNTY OFFICERS.**  
G. S. Fitzhugh, Surveyor—Sulphur Springs.  
N. C. Daniel, Assessor—Cromwell.

**Justices' Courts.**  
FORDSVILLE.—J. A. Bowling—Barrett's Ferry, March 21, June 20, September 19, December 19.  
BIRMINGHAM.—Ben F. Graves—March 20, June 25, September 24, December 24.

**HARTFORD.**—A. S. Aull—March 5, June 4, September 3, December 3.  
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